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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy to DCI for National
Intelligence Programs Evaluation

ATTENTION :

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SUBJECT : Classification and Compartmented
Control Guidance

1. Reference is made to your memorandum dated 8 September 1969 requesting assistance in the classification of individual pages B-1 through B-49 which comprise an appendix to a study currently being prepared by the National Intelligence Programs Evaluation (NIPE) Staff. The objective was to assign the lowest appropriate classification and compartmented controls to these individual pages.

2. A review of the pages, which set out descriptions of various collection efforts, indicates that only 26 of them fall within the purview of this Center. Each of these should be classified TOP SECRET and controlled within [REDACTED] channels. The KH terms should be deleted from pages B-3, B-10, B-11, B-21, B-25 and B-30. For these terms on page B-3 the appropriate [REDACTED] Project Indicators (CORONA and [REDACTED]) should be substituted.

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3. It should be noted that even though the project described on pages B-30 and B-31 has been terminated, residual material relating to that project is being controlled as [REDACTED] information and made accessible to those personnel briefed [REDACTED] having a need-to-know for such.

4. Even though the project described on pages B-19 and B-20 has not formally been included in the [REDACTED] Control System to date, the Office of Special Projects/DD/S&T is handling it under such controls and there are indications that it will be placed under formal [REDACTED] protection in the near future. That is the reason for recommending that these pages be so marked and handled.

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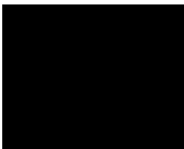

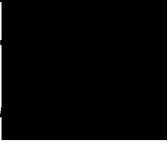


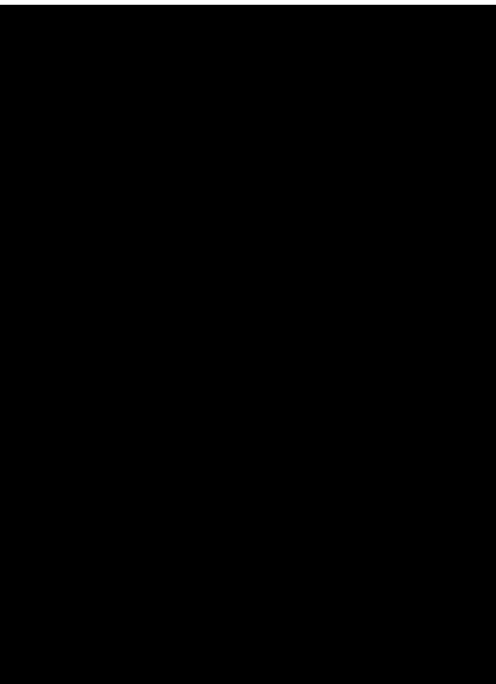
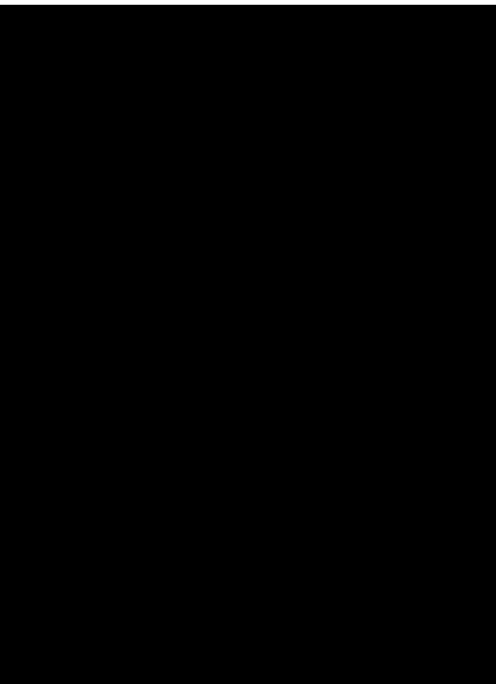
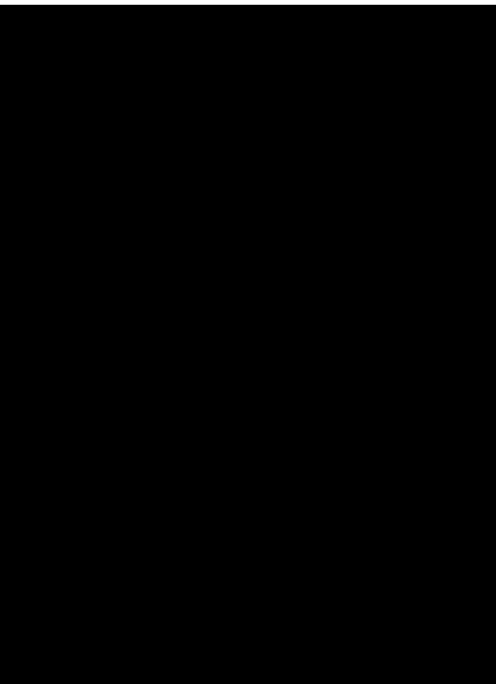
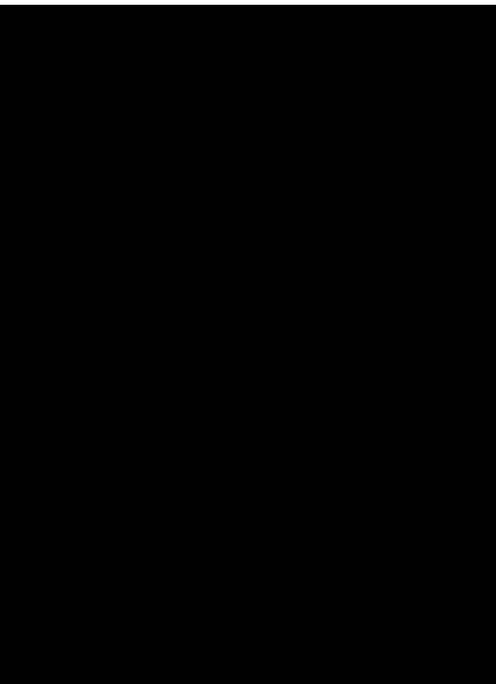
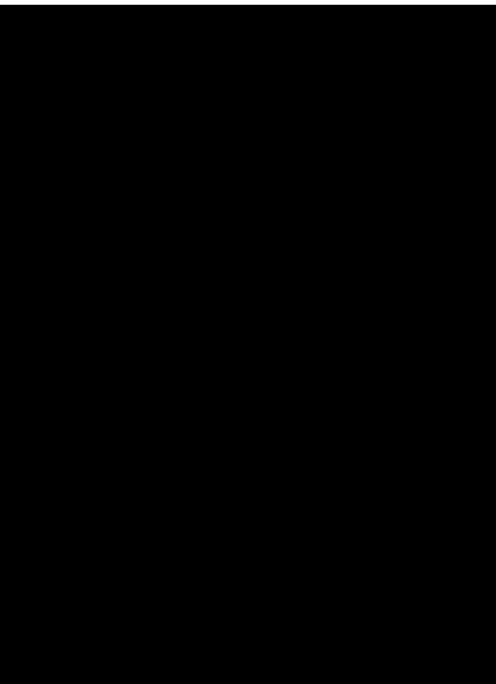
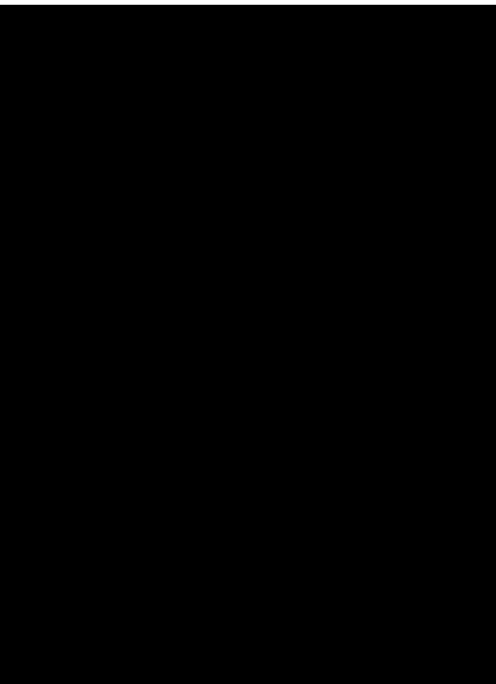
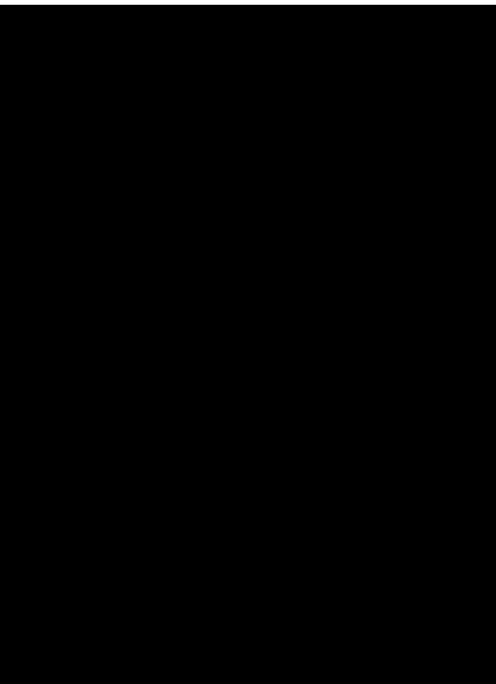
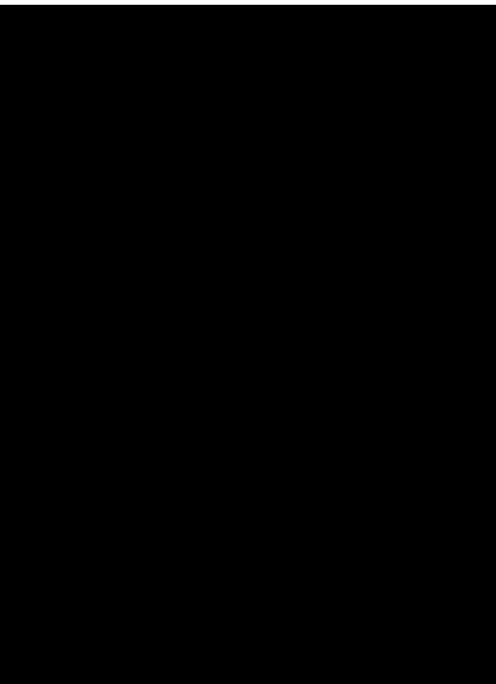
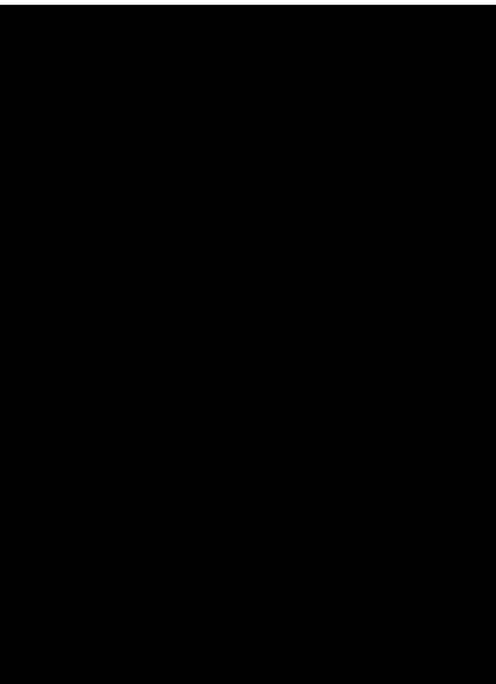
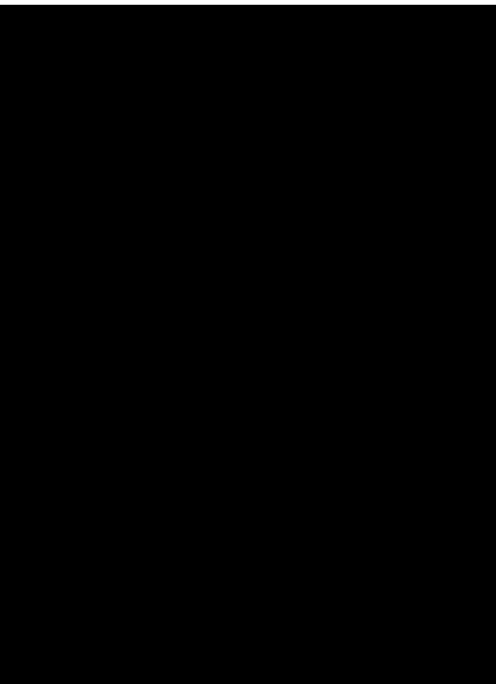
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5. The 26 pages describing projects under the security cognizance of the Special Security Center should be marked, in addition to the classification and controls set out in paragraph 2 above, with the following Project Indicators:

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6. It is recommended that classification and control guidance on the remaining pages be sought from appropriate DD/S&T officials.

7. In the event that the recommendations contained in this memorandum require clarification or amplification, please contact [REDACTED] of this Center on Red Line 1755.

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Chief, Special Security Center

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